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In re Application of :  
Brian Davis, Gary Kochis and E. Kent Miller : DECISION  
Application No. 10/676,607 :  
Filed: October 1, 2003 :  
Attorney Docket No. AGTZ 2 00047 :  
Title of Invention: FUEL PUMP MONITORING :  
SYSTEM AND ASSOCIATED METHOD :  
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This is in response to the petition under 37 CFR 1.47(a) filed April 8, 2004 , certificate of mailing April 6, 2004.

Petitioner has shown that non-signing inventor Davis has refused to join in the filing of the above-identified application after having been presented with the application papers. The petition attest a copy of the application papers was sent to the non-signing inventor's last known address. Further correspondence was forwarded to the non-signing inventor's representative Michael Ellis. The non-signing inventor's failure to respond to the application mailing sufficiently establishes that he refuses to execute the application papers.

The address provided in the declaration is presumed to be non-signing inventor's last known address. If this is not correct petitioner is obligated to inform the Office.

A petition fee in the amount of \$130.00 is required. Accordingly deposit account 06-0308 has been charged the petition fee.

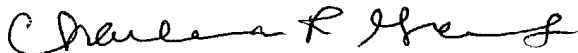
The above-identified application and papers have been reviewed and found in compliance with 37 CFR 1.47(a). This application is hereby accorded Rule 1.47(a) status.

As provided in Rule 1.47(c), this Office will forward notice of this application's filing to the non-signing inventor at the address given in the petition. Notice of the filing of this

application will also be published in the Official Gazette.

This application is being forwarded to the Office of Initial Patent Examination for further processing.

Telephone inquiries regarding this communication should be directed to the undersigned at (703) 306-0251.



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